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**DES TO HOLD 18TH ANNUAL REHABILITATION SERVICES
CLIENT AND EMPLOYER AWARDS CEREMONY**

(TUCSON– October 11, 2005) – The Department of Economic Security Rehabilitation Services

Administration has scheduled its 18th annual public recognition and awards ceremony. It will take place on Wednesday, October 19 at the El Pueblo Center, 101 W. Irvington Rd. in Tucson at the Activity Center, Building #9 from 9:00 a.m. to noon.

The ceremony is held annually to recognize persons with disabilities who have successfully completed vocational rehabilitation programs and are now gainfully employed. Employers who have provided outstanding support to individuals with disabilities will also be recognized. Employers being honored this year are:

Target – on Old Spanish Trail Rd., 911 Collision centers and Auto Glass, CODAC Behavioral Health Services, Douglas ARC, C.P.E.S.-The Buckstop Thrift Store, Santa Cruz County Workforce Connection, COPE Behavioral Health Services and the Pet Cemetery of Tucson.

Awards will be presented by Sen. Victor Soltero, Sen. Jorge Luis Garcia, Rep. Pete Hershberger and Rep. Jennifer Burns. Community rehabilitation providers, family members and other community leaders will also participate. Entertainment will be provided by the **Arizona Jazz Academy**.

The community is invited to attend.

